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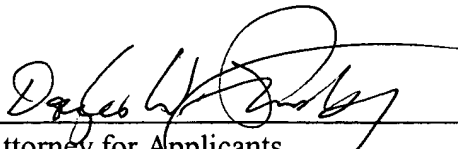
To date, Applicants have not received an Official Filing Receipt from the U.S.

Applicants respectfully request issuance of a Filing Receipt.

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly solicited.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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